

PATENT

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IN THE ABSTRACT

Please amend as follows:

A key inventory chest including a case having a docking port formed therein and ~~including first means~~ an apparatus for attaching the case to a carrying element, and a tag ~~including second means~~ for attaching the tag to keys, the tag further including a docking button, spaced apart from the ~~second means~~ combination of a small aperture through which a locking ring is threaded, of a size and shape for lockable engagement in the docking port to temporarily fasten the keys in the case, wherein the docking button is arranged for snap-in fitting and locking into the docking port and releasable therefrom by digital pressure applied to the button.